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Press Release

For Immediate Release

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Through the generosity of the Houston-based Apache Foundation and the Oklahoma Tree Bank Foundation, 550 Norman households will be able to receive a **FREE TREE this Fall**. The species available are Maple, Redbud, Chinese Pistachio, Oak and Elm. They will come in 3 gallon containers and are approximately 1” caliper, depending on species.

The program criteria are as follows:

- Norman residents only.
- No commercial or rental properties.
- One tree per household.
- Each tree will come with a tree planting and watering guide.
- Citizens must be registered to get a free tree.
- **Registration begins at 9:00 a.m. Tuesday, September 18th**
- To register go to www.normanfun.com and click on Free Tree Giveaway.
- Tree distribution will be in **Reaves Park on Friday, October 19th, 7:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.**
- You must bring your confirmation to pickup your tree.

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